

# Radio Button

Radio Button The `<aava-radio-button>` component provides a radio button group for single-choice selections with multiple layout orientations, size options, custom color theming, and smooth interaction effects. It includes full Angular forms integration and accessibility compliance.

How to use ■ import { AavaRadioButtonComponent } from "@aava/play-core"; Basic Usage ■ Simple radio button group implementation with multiple options and two-way data binding.

Orientations ■ The radio button component supports both horizontal and vertical layouts to accommodate different design requirements.

Available Orientations ■ vertical - Stacked layout with options arranged vertically (default) horizontal - Inline layout with options arranged horizontally Sizes ■ Three size options to match different interface densities and visual hierarchies.

Available Sizes ■ sm (Small) - Compact size for dense interfaces md (Medium) - Standard size for most use cases (default) lg (Large) - Prominent size for important selections States ■ Various states for different user scenarios including selection, disabled, and interactive states.

Available States ■ Unselected - Default state for non-selected options Selected - Active state showing the selected option Disabled - Non-interactive state for unavailable options Custom Colors ■ Comprehensive color customization for radio buttons and labels to match design requirements.

Color Customization Options ■ labelColor - Custom color for option labels color - Custom color for the dot Form Integration ■ Form integration with ControlValueAccessor implementation for reactive from Reactive Form Features ■ FormControl binding - Direct integration with Angular reactive forms Value tracking - Proper change detection and emission Disabled control - Programmatic enable/disable support Accessibility Support ■ The Radio Button component provides comprehensive accessibility features to ensure compatibility with screen readers, keyboard navigation, and mobile devices.

ARIA Support ■ role="radiogroup" - Container identifies as a radio button group role="radio" - Each option is properly identified as a radio button aria-checked - Indicates selection state (true/false) aria-disabled - Identifies disabled options aria-label - Describes the radio group ("Radio button group with X options") aria-labelledby - Links radio buttons to their text labels aria-describedby - Provides additional context for screen readers aria-hidden="true" - Hides decorative elements from assistive technology Keyboard Navigation ■ Arrow Keys ( $\uparrow\downarrow\leftarrow\rightarrow$ ) - Navigate between radio options Space/Enter - Select the currently focused option Tab - Enter and exit the radio group Circular Navigation - Arrow keys wrap around when reaching first/last option Skip Disabled - Navigation automatically skips disabled options Visual Focus - Clear focus indicators show current keyboard position WCAG 2.1 Compliance ■ Level AA compliant for color contrast Keyboard Accessible - All functionality available via keyboard Focus Management - Logical focus order and clear indicators Semantic Structure - Proper HTML roles and relationships Error Prevention - Clear state indication prevents user confusion API Reference ■ Inputs ■ Property Type Default Description options RadioOption[] [] Array of radio button options name string " HTML name attribute for the radio group selectedValue string " Currently selected option value size 'sm' | 'md' | 'lg' 'md' Size of radio buttons orientation 'horizontal' |

'vertical' 'vertical' Layout orientation color string " Custom color for radio button and glow  
labelColor string " Custom color for option labels radio 'dot' | 'none' 'dot' Whether to show the inner  
dot animation 'none' | 'shadow' 'none' Animation effect for selection Outputs ■ Event Type  
Description selectedValueChange EventEmitter<string> Emitted when selection changes CSS  
Custom Properties ■ Property Description --radio-group-gap Gap between radio button options  
--radio-checkmark-background Background color of the radio button circle  
--radio-checkmark-border Border color of the radio button --radio-checkmark-border-radius Border  
radius for the radio button --radio-checkmark-background-disabled Background when disabled  
--radio-checkmark-border-disabled Border color when disabled --radio-dot-background  
Background color of the inner dot --radio-dot-border-radius Border radius of the inner dot  
--radio-dot-background-disabled Dot background when disabled --radio-label-color Text color for  
option labels --radio-label-font Font properties for labels --radio-label-margin-left Left margin for  
labels --radio-label-color-disabled Label text color when disabled --radio-label-cursor-disabled  
Cursor style when disabled --radio-cursor Cursor style for interactive elements  
--radio-cursor-disabled Cursor style when disabled --radio-custom-glow-color Custom glow color  
for selected state --radio-size-sm Size dimensions for small variant --radio-size-md Size  
dimensions for medium variant --radio-size-lg Size dimensions for large variant --radio-size-sm-dot  
Dot size for small variant --radio-size-md-dot Dot size for medium variant --radio-size-lg-dot Dot  
size for large variant --radio-size-sm-label Label font size for small variant --radio-size-md-label  
Label font size for medium variant --radio-size-lg-label Label font size for large variant Best  
Practices ■ Design Guidelines ■ Provide clear options - Use descriptive labels that clearly  
distinguish choices Limit option count - Keep radio groups to 7 or fewer options for usability  
Choose appropriate orientation - Use vertical for longer lists, horizontal for 2-4 items Include  
default selection - Pre-select the most common or safe option when appropriate Group related  
options - Only use radio buttons for mutually exclusive choices Consider disabled states - Disable  
options that aren't currently available Performance ■ Optimize option rendering - Use trackBy  
functions for dynamic option lists Debounce rapid changes - Consider debouncing for real-time  
validation Minimize re-renders - Use OnPush change detection strategy Efficient event handling -  
Use event delegation for large option lists Form Integration ■ Test with forms - Ensure proper  
integration with your form validation Handle validation - Provide clear feedback for required  
selections Consider reset behavior - Define what happens when forms are reset Support reactive  
forms - Use proper ControlValueAccessor implementation

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<aava-radio-button
  [options]="[
    { label: 'Option 1', value: 'option1' },
    { label: 'Option 2', value: 'option2' },
    { label: 'Option 3', value: 'option3' },
  ]"
  name="basic-radio"
  selectedValue="option1"
  (selectedValueChange)="onRadioChange($event)"
>
</aava-radio-button>
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onRadioChange(value: string) {
  console.log('Radio button selection changed:', value);
}
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<aava-radio-button
  [options]="[
    { label: 'Option 1', value: 'option1' },
    { label: 'Option 2', value: 'option2' },
    { label: 'Option 3', value: 'option3' },
  ]"
  name="vertical-radio"
  orientation="vertical"
  selectedValue="option2"
  (selectedValueChange)="onRadioChange('vertical', $event)"
>
</aava-radio-button>
<aava-radio-button
  [options]="[
    { label: 'Option 1', value: 'option1' },
    { label: 'Option 2', value: 'option2' },
    { label: 'Option 3', value: 'option3' },
  ]"
  name="horizontal-radio"
  orientation="horizontal"
  selectedValue="option3"
  (selectedValueChange)="onRadioChange('horizontal', $event)"
>
</aava-radio-button>
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onRadioChange(orientation: string, value: string) {
  console.log(`"${orientation}" orientation selection changed:`, value);
}
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<aava-radio-button
  [options]="[
    { label: 'Option 1', value: 'option1' },
    { label: 'Option 2', value: 'option2' },
    { label: 'Option 3', value: 'option3' }
  ]"
  name="small-radio"
  size="sm"
  selectedValue="option1"
>
</aava-radio-button>
<aava-radio-button
  [options]="[
    { label: 'Option 1', value: 'option1' },
    { label: 'Option 2', value: 'option2' },
    { label: 'Option 3', value: 'option3' }
  ]"
  name="medium-radio"
  size="md"
  selectedValue="option2"
>
</aava-radio-button>
<aava-radio-button
  [options]="[
    { label: 'Option 1', value: 'option1' },
    { label: 'Option 2', value: 'option2' },
    { label: 'Option 3', value: 'option3' }
  ]"
  name="large-radio"
  size="lg"
  selectedValue="option3"
>
</aava-radio-button>
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<aava-radio-button
  [options]="[
    { label: 'Option 1', value: 'option1' },
    { label: 'Option 2', value: 'option2' },
    { label: 'Option 3', value: 'option3' },
  ]"
  name="default-states"
  selectedValue=" "
>
</aava-radio-button>
<aava-radio-button
  [options]="[
    { label: 'Option 1 (Disabled)', value: 'option1', disabled: true },
    { label: 'Option 2', value: 'option2' },
    { label: 'Option 3', value: 'option3' }
  ]"
  name="disabled-states"
  selectedValue="option2"
>
</aava-radio-button>
<aava-radio-button
  [options]="[
    { label: 'Option 1 (Disabled)', value: 'option1', disabled: true },
    { label: 'Option 2 (Disabled)', value: 'option2', disabled: true },
    { label: 'Option 3 (Disabled)', value: 'option3', disabled: true }
  ]"
  name="all-disabled"
  selectedValue="option3"
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</aava-radio-button>
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